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#### War Taxes and the Church.

lies are compelled by law to pay a tax | " the support of the government. Recently the income tax has, in order to German can escape, but he can escape cially and from the viewpoint of the church tax by dissolving his conauthority quoted, says, Germans are | tourists. doing and in a wholesale way. Berlin alone 10,000 people have lately withdrawn from the church mainly because they find a combination church and war taxes more than they can bear. In some of the big churches in Berlin it is said to be a rare thing! to see men at communion. If churches the world over found! their revenues decreasing in proportion as the revenues taken for armaments increase, it might cause a good many ministers who profess to be servants of the Prince of Peace to ask! themselves if their occasional pounding of the war drum is consistent with Their professions.

#### Weights and Measures.

An Order in Council has been passed amending the weights and measures regulations of the Inland Revenue Department, and making some minor hanges in the present toleration of error from exact weight or capacity s fixed by the accepted standards for testing. The amended regulations' prohibit entirely the manufacture or sale of spring scales, except in the cases of the kinds now used for weighing ice, sportsmen's spring balance, and farmers' milk scales of approved |

No weighing machine of any type! whatever shall be hereafter admitted to verification as "family" or "household' scales only. All weighing machines submitted by manufacturers for original verification and stamping must comply with the regulations provided for trade scales of their respec-

#### "THE COMING SESSION."

It has been announced that parliament will open on January 15th, and ' there can be bittle doubt but that sexeral questions of first importance to every citizen in Canada will be dealt The Naval question is again expected to be in the forefront of controversy: Redistribution will be dealt! with and also the question of tariff. No paper in Canada covers the session of the Dominion House quite a News. The Champion has arranged) with The Toronto Daily News to take sent to voin address by mult for one!

### Mormons Will Invade Canada.

Eight thousand Mormons from Utah! spring, according to the message just' received by the Presoyterian home of Calgary The influx of thousands of Mormons! into Alberta is regarded in Presby. because of their views respecting poly." not yet met a gentile who has head) any length of time among the Mor. tively short legs, can run with inmons of Alberta who did not believe credible swiftness, and has a habit that many of them were polygamists. of disappearing suddenly from view singer, drawn by himself, only numerthe approaching meeting of the Pres.

### The Kind Judge.

## Moon's Rays and Decay

### Returning a Favor

"It's going to be wan to the knife." declared the subminimum who was feeding his chick ms. "What now?" asked the friend. grease and advised me to use it on ny la**wn-**mower. "Well?" "Well, I sent a back and fold his to use it on his daughters vego-January Lippinson .

Captair, Bernier, the Atotic explorer, stated, after a trip to Baffin Land that he was aboslutely convinced that Canada has an inexhaustible harvest of comes from Syria. It is gathered and furs and other commercial commodi- piled into great stacks, where it re-"a full cargo of furs, ivory, fish and is then taker to the factory to undergo oil. There is a harvest up there that certain processes. The finished pro-Canada of the future will be glad of duct is used for flavoring confection. for it is boundless. Of the furs I duct is used for navoring confection-brought back, the foxes, blue and ery and beer, as well as entering into

Arctic Fur Harvest

What the Island Offers to the Tourist

and Sportsman varied with mountains, valleys and dry with a clean towel. mountain ranges, which are low, run with soap and water and dry with chiefly through the northwestern part | clean towel. sula the scenery is rugged and grand. I twice yearly.

and the sportsman can wander for ing. The feature of Cape Breton's attrac- twice daily. tiveness that is most peculiar to itself. Keep barnyard clean enclosing bays of the sea, which the stable caused the indians to term Cape | Have abundant windows In Germany, according to a London French people named these waters the floor. selves non-Protestants or non-Catho- name that they stir the interest of filation for the cow stable. King sys. cents a dozen makes a large increase for the support of the church equal to travellers from any country and bear stem is suggested. that which they pay in income tax for comparison to the locks of Scotland. Do not use milk from any cows sus hens are kept.

been greatly added to. That tax no are deemed invaluable both commer enormous numbers of bacteria. nection with the church. This, the scenery lovers, pleasure seekers and for cooling milk.



JOSEPH E. DAVIES

#### MANY WAYS OF ESCAPE

The Mink Can Also Fight Well When Brought to Bay

The mink is still fairly common in or as fairly as The Toronto the settled parts of the country. This leaving the two beaten animals lying animal which belongs to the weasel weak and exhausted beside the track subscriptions for both papers, and up- family, is eminently able to look after with their horns still locked. on receipt of \$2.30 in advance for both itself. It has many ways of escape. the Champion and The News will be It it is near the water it plunges in and swims beneath the surface as Send vom subscript ons in to this easily as a muskrat or otter. If it is ir the woods it can climb a tree as readily as a squirrel, or it can disappear with lightning rapidity beneath an old root. Or wherever it and other parts of the United States | happens to be it can find some hole | will arrive in western Canada next or crevice into which it can instantly wriggle its sinuous, snake-like body mission officials here from W. Shearer | And as a last resort it can finght, and [ it does this with an agility and ferocity which renders it a formidable terian home in scion circles as a peril, antagon's to many animals much ! superfector to free'r in size

The milik, in spite of its comparaand reappearing in a moment at a lical figures entering into the compodistance and in a location where you sition. Caruso is quite clever as a least expect it.

nor diurnal, but hunts either day or be a cartoonist than an opera singer. ing and was brought before Judge night whenever it is hungry, and after At the latter calling, however, Perkins. The Judge was noted for a full meal sleeps until it is hungry earns about \$200,000 a year. his kind heart and his light sentences, again. In the matter of food the Have you ever been sentenced to mink has a wide range. It will hunt A. D. Campbell, B. Sc., of Calgary, frogs along the borders of streams, warned eastern farmers in an address; No, never it exclaimed the mail catch fish in lakes and rivers, dig up and dealth and dramatically benefit grubs, beetles and earthworms from noxious seeds.

Rt. Hon. James Bryce, former British. The more choice the fowl the grain from the west as abounding in noxious seeds.

Many plants impoverish the soil; a grain from the west as abounding in noxious seeds. "Well, well, don't cry, my man," soft soil or out of rotten logs and " could the Judge, "It meedn't trouble stumps, and catch hares, mice and von. You're going to me. - January ground-nunting birds

Sign Boards in China Tradesmen in China have quite as ! Some little evidence in favor of the high appreciation of the value of adpopular theory that the moon's rays vertising as any other people in the Rays of light similar to those fur- world. In China the biscuits bear the i ished be the moon were thrown upon imprint of the baker, and the ducks one lot of fish, while another lot was bought in Celestial markets frequently fish exposed to the rays of the moon show on their backs a big red stamp

decayed here tainedly than the others, bearing the name of the seller. Chintese shops have large sign boards! which show an odd mixture of the poetic and the commercial traits of the people. Here are a few examples: Shop of Heaven-sent Luck." "Teashop of Celestial Principles." "The "Why, Blinks sent me a box of axle- Ten Virtues All Complete," "Flowers Rise to the Milky Way." A charcoal shop in Canton calls itself the "Foun." tain of Beauty," and a place for the sale of coal indulges in the title of "Heavenly Embroldery."

Where Liquorice Comes From Most of the familiar liquorice-root "I brought back with me," he said, mains until it is thoroughly dry. I' white, are the best, but where are the make-up of many brands of tosome very fine bearskins and seal bacco. Some idea of the extent of the industry may be gathered when! is stated that, on an average, 8,000 tons of dry liquorice-root is shipped safe, reliable requiating from Aleppo annually while Bagdad yields another 6,000 tons, Antioch

4,000 and Damascus 500 tons. serious split is said to have developed in the British Liberal party over the naval estimates.

# CLEAR METHODS

The landscape of Cape Breton is with a dry cloth; use clean water and Give the Co meadows, rivers and inlets. The Milkers should wash their hands

of the Island. In the porthern penin- | Whitewash the cow stable at least can be obtained in supplying a retail Here hunting and fishing are excellent | Feed no dusty feed until after milk. satisfactory trades to eater to and is

miles through absolutely wild lands.] Remove all manure from cow stable families in every large town or city is made up of the great arms of land manure pile at least 100 feet from the year around at several cents above

These lakes comprise about one pected of garget or any udder in. A neat package is a very good in began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Veg-

### MOOSE VERSUS DEER

Use abundance of ice in water tenk

Savage Battle Fought on Railway Tracks While Train Waited

a curve in a forest, saw the animals objectionable odors. on the track ahead. He whistled other to pieces.

and ran to the front of the engine; strictly fancy eggs. some threw stones but still no heed was given and for about five minutes be gathered regularly each day from the watchers witnessed a magnificent struggle.

ation, the monopolistic or the com- animals were exhausted and seemed should be carried to a cool place and petitive form, can produce articles to be staving off defeat as long as covered with a clean cloth so that the most cheaply consistent with possible. The sides of all were rent dust cannot settle on them. the human beings, and bounded off into cause washing destroys the natural

> The passengers and trainmen climbed on board and the train started

the woods.



A caricature of Caruso, the famous black and white artist, and has fre-This mammal is neither nocturnal quently stated that he would rather

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In marketing easy the manest prices trade. This is also one of the most easy to get. There are hundreds of that are looking for the person who and have will furnish eggs regularly each week

The largest profits must come from Breton the 'Island of the Sea.' The stable to permit sunlight to reach the superior marketing, and from special market advantages in selling eggs and journal, all but those who avow them- Bras d'Or lakes, and it is under that Arrange a proper system of ven- stock. A difference of only a lew in the income when several hundred | // / /// | could think of was no better.

the retail store prices.

neet the cost of increased armaments, sixth of the area of Cape Breton and flammation. Such milk contains vestment. An attractive shipping and healthy. -Mrs. Alice Darling, it is sufficient, and indeed many peocrate has much to do with fixing the R.F.D. No. 2, Box 77, Pentwater, Mich. | ple declare that they are affected | product. The person who will take Read What Another Woman says: even in its presence, though they do the trouble to prepare a neat package may be depended upon to be equally that I could hardly stand on my feet. I of fry polsoning without contact is careful and painstaking about the would feel like crying out lots of times, not admitted though, by those who quality of the goods which he puts and had such a heavy feeling in my right have studied the nature of the poison it

> ing is to have good quality to sell. so drowey and sleepy all the time, yet I Quality sells itself. A fancy egg The passengers on a train near should be new-laid; that is, not more Vegetable Compound a week I began to poisonous substance is found in all Cobalt saw a sight that few human than one week old when it is deliver improve. My backache was less and parts of the plant, and a very little beings have ever witnessed, and that ed to the customer. It should be free that heavy feeling in my side went of it reaching the skin is sufficient was a battle between two buck deer from any foreign flavor due to im- sway. I continued to take the Com- set up its painful irritation. and a moose. The engineer, turning proper feeding or to the absorption of pound and am cured.

> To produce eggs of the highest Box 62, Peoria, Ill. several times and slowed down, com- quality requires skill and care. First, ing to a stop within forty yards of one must keep pure-bred fowls in the strugglers but they took no notice one must keep pure-bred fowls in E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for pleasant consequences. It would apthe strugglers but they took no notice order to get uniformity in color, woman's ills. Why don't you try it? so bent were they on tearing each shape and size of egg. Second, eggs must be selected for hatching that Many of the passengers alighted fulfill all the market requirements for

nests that are especially fitted. If there is any doubt about the fresh-The antiers of the two bucks had ness of eggs, give the customer, not become entangled but it could not be the eggs, the benefit of the doubt. of Wisconsin who was appointed by seen whether the horns of the moose Do not take any chance. One bad

other beneficial conditions to so- with wounds and blood streamed on A damp cloth is required to rub off c.ety. in other words "What to do the tracks. Finally the moose drew any slight discoloration. If it is plunge bowled both of his opponents be wiped dry before being placed in

# GIVE CHICKENS SOUR MILK

appearance of the shell.

In Combination With Corn Forms an Appetizing Ration

chickens. Those who think that they marriage and parenthood associated, starting to grub up the roots, so as get greater returns by feeding it to as these are, with the problems of to lessen the danger of poisoning hogs should remember that the fiesh heredity, race culture and race de while at work. The tops may be got of chickens brings at least twice as velopment. much on the market as that of hogs. Milk and corn are both liked by chickens, and a proper mixture of the In central Nicaragua the native wotwo makes one of the best and most men cool water in one of the most appetizing rations. For the best re- peculiar ways imaginable. They take ling can or an old sprayer which can sults the corn should be cracked and an earthen jar, fill it perhaps three be sacrificed to the purpose. soaked several hours in either sweet quarters full of water and when any. or sour skimmed milk or in butter body wishes a cool drink they grasp milk. The corn may be put in pails the jar by two leather handles and in the morning and the milk poured swing it through the air as if it were One Year's Growth Should Offset Dis

A liberal supply of this ration will the thirsty passerby, keep the chickens growing rapidly and insure their being constantly plump and in excellent condition for the market

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"After I had taken Lydia E. Pinkham's "You may publish this if you wish."

#### EUGENICS DEFINED

Eggs for a first class trade must drawn a clear distinction between Measures of eradication must through environment" for which a them would have to be repeated and

Sour milk is utilized in one of the is concerned specially with the im. vegetation. It may be advisable to best possible ways by feeding it to provement of the human race through mow off and remove the stems before

Peculiar Way to Cool Water on until the top of the corn is sub an enormous dumb-bell. Then cenmerged two or three inches. When trifugal force of action prevents the this has been absorbed more should water from flying out and yet it is At the basis of all genuine rotation

Hogs and Hens Bad Neighbors

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that I could not all and not a few of those who profess or well to be interested in natural bistory studies, are unable to recognize in If the time. I felt says a report by the Domision Boton taken everything I Polson by differs from the majority

require to be eaten in order to pro duce its ill effects. Mere contact with not touch it at all. The possibility side. I had such terrible dull headaches to which its effects are due. This poison has been found to be a nonvolatile oil, to which the name "toxicodendrol" has been given. The

It is well known that not all persons -Miss CLARA L. GAUWITZ, R.R. No. 4, are equally susceptible to injury by poison ivy. Some can handle the plant freely without any fear of unpear also, as if animals were immune. as birds are reported to feed upon the fruit, and cows have been known

to eat it and show no evil effects. Poison ivy grows most commonly along the borders of fields and woods Sir Francis Galton's definition of by roadsides, or in open woods; or eugenics is "the study of agencies less frequently it occurs in deep woods under social control, that may im. where it may become a tall climber prove or impair the racial qualities supporting itself on the trunks of of future generations, either physic. trees. In the open it is low and bushy ally or mentally." He has also de- or often climbing or training. The President Wilson as Commissioner were caught or not as he kept his egg will ruin the reputation gained fined eugenics as "the science which leaves are all composed of three or the fined eugenics as "the science which leaves are all composed of three or the fined eugenics as "the science which leaves are all composed of three or the fined eugenics as "the science which leaves are all composed of three or the fined eugenics as "the science which leaves are all composed of three or the fined eugenics as "the science which leaves are all composed of three or the fined eugenics as "the science which leaves are all composed of three or three or the fined eugenics as "the science which leaves are all composed of three or Corporations, to investigate head down and fought with his feet, by selling a thousand good ones. As deals with all influences that improve ovate, coarsely-toothed leaflets, and which form of industrial organiz- snorting angrity. The two weaker soon as the eggs are gathered they and develop the inborn qualities of serve well as a means of identification. a race." He appears, however, to There are no other plants of similar have referred more particularly to habit in Canada with leaves which

hereditary influences, for in this con- would easily be confused with them. nection he adds: "The aim of eugenics | The Virginian Creeper is often held i is to represent each class or sect by in suspicion, quite needlessly though, back about five yards and with a necessary to wet the eggs, they should its best specimens, causing them to at it has five, not three, leaflets, which contribute more than their propor. spread from one point like the fingers into a ditch beside the track. Then, the crate. They should not be wash- tion to their next generation; that of the hand. The poison ivy can also for the first time, he seemed to notice ed unless absolutely necessary, be-done, to leave them to work out their be known when in fruit, by its upcommon civilization in their own right auxiliary panicles of whitish Another high authority has berries of about the size of peas. "race improvement through heredity" directed toward the uprooting of the eugenics—and "race" improvement plants, as otherwise any effort to kill new term "euthenics" has been coined. | continued as long as the roots retain In this stricter definition "eugenics" enough vitality to send up new

rid of also by spraying with a mix ture of one-half pint co e mercial su! phuric acid in one gallon of water As sulphuric acid is corrosive, it will be advisable to apply with a sprink !

# ROTATION OF CROPS

advantages of Previous One

be added at intervals during the day all the time moving rapidly within the lies the fact that plants differ from and the mixture will be excellent for jar. In a few moments the water is one another; they differ from one comparatively cool and is relished by another in their demands upon the soil, both chemical and physical; they differ with regard to their root system, depth of feeding, their moisture No fowl is safe that eats with hogs. requirements, their time of feeding No one can tell what moment a hog their dates in reaching maturity, etc. may decide to have chicken for a Many plants impoverish the soil; a conditions, while others improve it in

that regard. Many crops favor the growth of weeds, while others either are able to held the weeds in check' or require such cultivation and treat ment as will prevent their growth. All these differences fit plants for different places in rotation, and a wellarranged rotation is one in which the strong points of one crop follow so i as to fit into the weak points of another, or vice versa, and in this way! reduce deficiencies to a minimum. A crop that requires a large amount of one element should be followed by one that requires less of that element and probably more of another. shallow-rooted crop should be followed by one that is deeper rooted, so that plant food which may have escaped) the shallower roots may be caught by the deeper feeder, and that the nutrimentinthe soil may be used to a great er depth. Crops that are exhaustive to the soil should be followed by a socalled soil restorer. And crops that are conducive to the growth of weeds should be followed by a weed-destroy ing crop.

A Dry Poultry-house To avoid dampness in the poutry. house the floor should be a foot higher of earth than the level of the outside lay of land. Then grade up to the outside walls so as to turn on the

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